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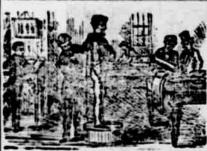
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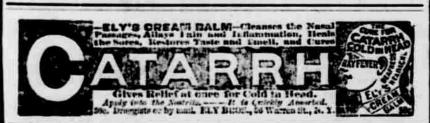
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SATURDAY NIGHT STREET SCENES IN THE CITY OF THE DOCKERS.

Break In the Fearful Drearings That Marks the Life of the Toiling Thousands of the East Side of the Great Metropolis. Music, Songs and Dances.

The memory of a Saturday night in the City of the Dockers is like the recollection of a troubled dream, for on this last night of the week the great, hot streets are filled with the pentup life of 500,000 houses (one cannot call them homes), and all the varied phases of this hand to hand struggle for existence appear. The docker is prodigal of his few shillings on Saturday night, the maximum of his liberality being shown most often in the public house and on the catch penny street conjurer, while the minimum is apparent at the stalls of the grocer and butcher. But men, women and children are out on the streets, and, whatever else it be, Saturday night is something of a break in the fearful dreariness that marks the life of the cast London toiling thousands.

The people love music. Their inter-

retation of music is rather rough and ond. The bass drum of every band that parades in a labor demonstration of a Sunday gets terribly punished before the day is over, but it commands a great fol-lowing, and on Saturday night the street musicians and singers easily gather their crowds and reap an abundant harvest. The barrel organ is found everywhere, and wherever it is rattling out the popular "Daisy" or "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo" the sidewalks will be crowded, while two or three couples of little girls dance on the flag-

Nearly every girl of 8 can dance, many of them have already appeared in public at the cheap concert halls, and as one watches them, hatless, dirty, but with faces beaming with delight, he does not know whether to be glad of their joy or to pity their hollow present and hopeless future the more. Often a part in these street dances will be taken by the older girls, factory girls, as they are all called in east London, who are out in crowds on Saturday night. They are an untamed, fantastic lot. All wear enormous hats, adorned with feathers, and train their hair about the forehead by curling it forward quite fiercely. They are in-tensely loyal to the customs and traditions of their own "set," and forced as they are to subsist on an income of 6 to 8 shillings per week they are a vexing problem to the east London philanthropist and reformer.

Besides the barrel organs, there are violins, accordions and any number of soloists unaccompanied by an instrument. Blind women, old men and the poor wrecks of this awful struggle for existence here stand at the curbstone and in weak, thin voices sing their songs. The restless crowd moves on, save when some one more curious or more kindly than the rest stands near to look or listen. A bent woman, whose thin shawl was thrown over her shoulders, was feebly singing some old song in the midst of the jostling throng around a public house. I saw a strong young girl of 14 come kindly toward her, drop a penny in the little box held by the feeble hand and then hurry away out of sight. Happy will the strong young lass be if the swirl of the turbid stream of east

streets in a night like this. The sidewalk artist is sometimes found, but the most common form of appeal is handsprings or stand on their heads for boy of 7 came out and ran beside me, relating some sort of verse, I thought. Three repetitions made it clear:

Ha'p'ny wen't 'wit yer, Penny won't break yer, Tu'p'nee won't send yer t' the work'us.

He was evidently working on a "gradnated scale of benevolence adapted to the abilities of the donor." I believe by the emphasis laid on the last item that he estimated me from my gold bowed spectacles at tu'pence.

The barrows of east London delicacies

abound in the streets where marketing goes on. The woman who sells cold pickled pigs' feet is in fair demand. The man who retails shrimps at a penny a bag gets a good trade, but the couple who preside at the barrow filled with "cockles and winkles" have their hands full. The delectable mollusks are displayed on little dishes as large as "individual butters," with a bit of garnishing of parsley, and are eaten with vinegar on

the spot.

These barrows are found especially at the entrance of Victoria Docks road, a great marketing place in Canning town on Saturday night. Clothing (very cheap and shoddy and called "slops"), little tools for household use, cheap laces, fil-berts, "red bandanna" handkerchiefs and horn combs are some of the many articles sold from barrows in the street, outside the regular shops for meat, fruit and fish. On the whole, trade is carried on with great briskness, but more quietly than in market streets at home. The butchers are the most noisy. They delight in wearing tall hats and scream-ing odd calls at the full of their lungs. A penny is the standard unit here in Osnning town. The buyers are poor, and everything that can be called at penny is. A common cry is:

A penny a pun, a pun a penny, barrows, where a pound of ar can be sold at this low rate. rd Courant.

RESULTS OF ENVIRONMENT.

How a Philosophical Discourse Was Bore of the Timidity of a Blackwoods Couple. It did not tale a close observer to see with the dust of country roads—a sight so keenly appreciated by the courteous bunko steeren.

She had rosy cheeks and was plump of figure. Had she worn other than a red dress and not an old fashioned bonnet with green ribbons, she might have been termed real pretty.

They stood in front of the Aste. House looking about them in a dazed sort of way. Evidently their desire was to cross the street, but the long line of trucks and wagons, the cable cars with their cessant clanging and the noise generally caused them to heritate.

Presently she clutched him by the arm and anxiously, even nervously, looked into his face.

Mercy, John, let's go back ter hum This noise is too much. "Yer right," replied John. "Can't

stand it myself." She clutched his arm, and with hurried steps they proceeded down Barclay street.

A party of gentlemen on the steps of the Astor House had been watching the couple and overheard the remarks passed

tween them. "That shows you what effect environment has upon people," said one philothe country, where probably no murworld ever found its way, "To them the lazy wind sighing among the branches of the trees, the singing of the birds and the running waters of the brook form an important part of their daily life. They would be unhappy, even in the grandest palace, without this simple yet beauti-

ful runsic of nature. "Yet how different it is with me, add undoubtedly with you ail! I tire of the country in a few days. To me the scene before us now in as inspiring and beautiful as any I ever saw elsewhere. The rumbling of the vehicles over the pavement, the clanging of the bells, the hissing of steam, the hurrying feet and the ceasing noise of bastle and business all combine to make one grand symphony that my cars never tire of hearing. I can work and think the better for it, but were I banished to some rustic scene work would cease, inspiration would leave me, and I would even be unhappy, longing for the busy environments of a

city like New York. 'As it is with individuals, so it is with nations, with kingdoms, empires and republics. Their characters, their traits and their nationalities can all be traced to their surroundings, and I believe there is nothing in what we call human nature that is not a result of environment. Change the universe, the customs and manner of living, and, mark my word, von change human nature."

The philosophical gentleman looked roudly at his listeners, and with the ow of an orator retiring from the platform he sauntered into the lobby of the Astor House,-New York Herald.

A Genuine Philauthropist

One of New York's philanthropic merchants spends thousands of dollars each year in aiding the poor, but none of his beneficiaries ever gets a cent in cash. London life does not bring her some time His idea is that money giving demoralto the place of the curbstone singer. In- izes the recipient. He will buy groceries deed there is no place that I have ever and pay rent for a distressed family and een where mirth and pathos, vice and secure employment for the wage earnvirtue, meet and mingle as on these ers. Once they are at work he tells them that he considers it a moral obli-One sees very little begging. There is gation for them to refund, at any connot much street begging anyway- venient season, the sum he has expended. there's no use begging; the people are If they do, he regards the case as a tritoo poor. The mendicant flees Canning unaph of self respect. If they don't, he town for the wealthier residential quar- finds some excuse for them in his own ters. Of course the children beset one. mind and keeps right on at his self appointed task. Last winter he hired a hall in the Hebrew district down town, enfrom the ragged little fellows who turn gaged a competent teacher and provided a number of Jewish girls with free inyou. They really do their athletics structions. No proselyting was attemptivery nicely, and there is something so ed. Indeed not a word was said about appealing and "old mannish" in their religion. The girls became greatly inlooks that it is hard to resist them. I terested, and their brothers begged for was hurrying through the crowds in and obtained admittance. Similar classes Victoria docks one night about 10 when are to be established this winter. The merchant allows himself an income of \$3,-000 per year. All the rest of the money he makes is devoted to the aid of others -New York Sun.

White With a Vengrance.

Here is a state of things which probably not the wealth of the Asters could buy in America. Lord and Lady Alington have a place in Dorset known as the White farm. Everything is accordingly white. All the farm buildings, the house itself, and even all the animals on the place are white. Rabbits, cats, guinea pigs, hens, horses, cows, donkeys and all the creatures are spotless.

But this is not the most remarkable feature. The free and independent British men and maids who till the soil and churn the butter are compelled to attire themselves in white smocks and white frocks to bear out the general impression of whiteness,—New York Recorder.

One day while his apparatus for deep en soundings, by means of steel planeforte wire, was being constructed, Lord Kelvin entered Mr. White's shop in Glasgow along with the great Dr. Joule, celebrated for his determination of the mechanical equivalent of heat. Joule's attention was called to a bundle of the pianoforte wire lying in the shop, and Thomson explained that he intended it for "sounding purposes." "What note?" innocently inquired Joule and was promptly answered, "The deep C."-Ar-

An Explanation.

Teacher-"For men must work, and must weep." What is the meanant line, Tommy Figg?

ny—It means that men has to get money, and then the won

Wonders In Penmanship. The renowned Dr. Heylin in his "Life of King Charles' relates the following extraordinary story of the artistic ability of an old time knight of the pen: "In that they were from the country. His the time of the reign of Queen Elizabeth tall and lean figure was adorned with one Royer wrote the Ten Command. one Royer wrote the Ten Commandan ill fitting suit of clother, and his ments, the Creed, the Pater Noster, the large, clumsy boots were still covered queen's name and the year of our Lord queen's name and the year of our Lord within a space that could be covered with a penny. He gave her majesty a pair of spectacles of his own artificial making, that by the help thereof she did

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